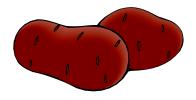


Vegetable of the Week: Sweet Potatoes

Healthy Recipe Idea: Glazed Sweet Potatoes



Ingredients:

1 pound of sweet potatoes, peeled and cut into ½ inch-thick slices 1 tablespoon cornstarch 1 tablespoon brown sugar ³/₄ cup unsweetened orange juice 2 tablespoons lemon juice

Directions:

Spray a 1-quart casserole with cooking spray and place potatoes in. Combine cornstarch and brown sugar in a small bowl. Add orange and lemon juices, stirring well. Pour over potatoes. Cover and bake at 425° for 40 minutes or just until potatoes are tender and glaze is thickened.

How do I slice my sweet potatoes?

Choose firm, heavy potatoes. Avoid potatoes that have sprouted or have wrinkled skins. Store in a cool dark place. Do not refrigerate. Scrub well under running water just before use. Peel by scraping with a vegetable peeler. Use a heavy sharp knife to cut into slices, starting at one end and working towards the other end. You should have small round slices, rather than long oval shaped slices.

